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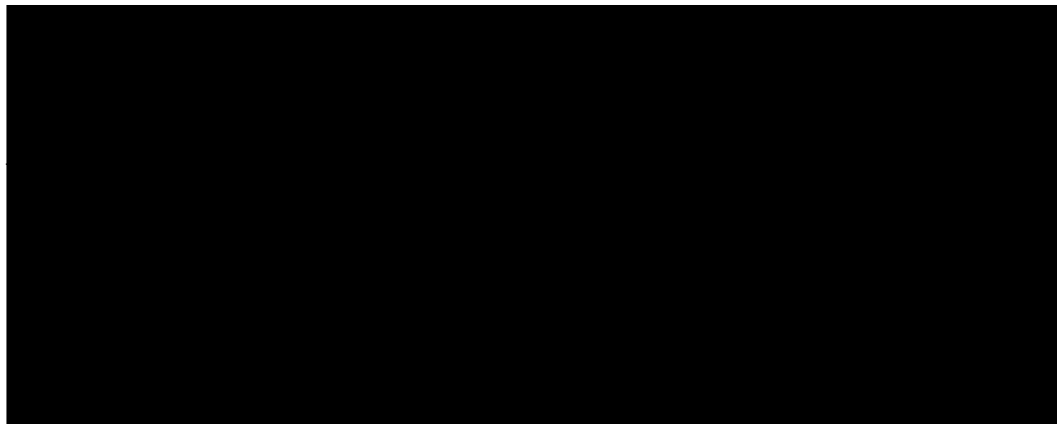
17 February 1966

**MEMORANDUM FOR:** Deputy Director for Plans

**SUBJECT :** Annual TSD Research and Development Seminar [REDACTED] 25X1A

1. As you will recall, TSD has in the past few years hosted a Research and Development Seminar for selected senior individuals in the Clandestine Services for the purpose of explaining and seeking guidance in our proposed Development and Engineering program for the coming fiscal year. In the past, area division and staff responses to these exercises have been most gratifying and have significantly influenced the direction of our program. This year we propose to have the conference on 21-23 March at [REDACTED] 25X1A

2. The following is a list of individuals whom I am suggesting for your approval as invitees:



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3. I realize that these are all busy and valuable people, but we have found this kind of quality and level of individuals essential to responsible guidance to our coming fiscal year program. Any deletions, additions or other suggestions you may wish to make will be appreciated.

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